

gotten and neglected portions of our citizenship. Schools and churches through their series of entertainments and services have well remembered the real object of the Christmas evening. The writer of this column, wishes all its readers, a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I know, that Santa Claus has not forgotten the scribbles and his good wife, judging by the packages and good wishes cards that have entered the Fourth street cottage.





## Social Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Fears have as their guest for the holidays, her father, the Honorable Henry Walker of Waukula Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carter are leaving for Tuscaloosa, Alabama where he will enter the University and major in history.

Mrs. Carter is accepting a position as secretary to a dentist there. Both Mr. and Mrs. Carter have been active here in church and club work here for the past year. He has been employed by Royals, Inc., and more recently the C. & B. Grocery, and she as a secretary at the Everglades Experiment Station.

Mrs. J. D. Poole left for New Orleans where she will spend Christmas with her daughter, Jewell, who is a junior nurse at Charity Hospital.

Mrs. Palmer January and son are visiting her mother in Elvaville, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Robertson of Jupiter spent Tuesday evening here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gledhill.

while enroute to Punta Gorda to visit with relatives. They also attended Belle Rebekek Lodge.

Mrs. H. E. Riedel has received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. Malinda Schow of Detroit, Michigan, following a short illness.

Miss Daisy Nelson, student at Bethany Pinel in Oklahoma, is spending the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. E. Nelson of the Nazarene Church, Gainesville.

Miss Imogene Greenwood, student in nurses training at Southern Baptist Hospital in New Orleans, arrived Wednesday to spend the holidays with her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Risk of Albuquerque, New Mexico are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Risk and family here during the holidays.

Miss Emily Breeger arrived home last week from Boston, Mass., following the completion

of her four years nurses training. After spending the holidays here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Breeger, she plans to nurse in one of the West Palm Beach hospitals.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Roberts have as their guest for the holidays, her mother, Mrs. H. W. Greer, of Gainesville.

George LeLaure, formerly of this city, now engaged in construction work on Saipan, is spending a thirty day leave here with his mother and the Friedheim family.

### COLLEGE STUDENTS HOME FOR CHRISTMAS

The arrival of the Christmas holidays brings many of the college students home. Among those who have arrived are, from Stetson University, Charlotte Enlow, Dolly Rutledge, Bob Mathews, Bill McClatchey, Ray Kent, Larry Royal, and James Waddell; University of Florida, Jewell Bass, Carlene Cone, G. A. Smith, Bennie Richmond, Richard Pike, Jean Byrom, Carroll McDonald, Billy Pennington, Bill Jeffries, D. C. Arnette, and Barnes Creech; Florida State University, Jean Hooker, Helen Friedheim, Carolyn Freedland, Betty Greenwood, James Ball Barbara Hendry, Joyce Tedder, and Barbara Will; Southern College, Mary Eleanor Kidder, Robert Taylor, and Ralph Casseaux; Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Priest, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kidder; Palm Beach Junior College, John Breggar and George King; Louise Friedheim arrives from Barry College in Miami; Nancy Crossen from Stevens in Missouri; Boots Young from Duke University; Mr. and Mrs. George Wedgworth from Michigan

State College; Franklin Stallings from University of Miami; Albert Stevens from Vanderbilt University in Tenn.; Barnes Smith from Emory University Atlanta; Mary Elizabeth Hooker from Madison, Virginia; Jack Murray from the University of Alabama; and Herbert Lloyd Brown from Lafayette, Indiana.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS

Sunday evening services at the Everglades Presbyterian Church, was one in celebration of the Christmas, which was of a candle light type, presented by the Women's Auxiliary of the church.

A prettier or more impressive ceremony could hardly be conceived. The lighting of the candles was performed by Alma Ann McClure and Jeanne Crews, and Elders Robert Boardman and Walter Simons.

Joy-gits were given which go to the Superannuated Minister's Bureau and the collection was a liberal one in gifts and money.

The Sunday school Christmas party was held on Thursday night, which was well attended, and was featured by a Christmas movie film, a visit from old Santa Claus, and the distribution of Yule time gifts.

On Tuesday night, Mrs. Ben Robinson threw open her home for an Auxiliary Christmas party, with Mrs. A. L. Cumpton, as associate hostess. Following a gift exchange period, light refreshments were served by the hostesses.

### BELLE REBEKAH LODGENEWS

Belle Rebekek Lodge, on Tuesday night, informally celebrated the second anniversary of the founding of the lodge. Walter Robertson, of Jupiter,

and Mrs. Alice Robertson, its first Noble Grand, were present and made short talks.

On the evening of January 4th, the lodge, will have official visitation from Mrs. Fanny Spink, Assembly President of Orlando, and her staff, at which time the new corps of officers will be installed by the President and Mrs. Frances Kernberg, of Lake Worth, district deputy president. A pot supper will be served prior to the evening lodge session, at which visitors from other lodges are expected.

### BREGER-STONG WEDDING PLANS TOLD

The wedding of Miss Edith Breger to Edward Strong will take place on Wednesday, December 29th, at 3:30 p.m., in the Community Methodist Church.

Maid of honor will be Miss Emily Breger, and bridesmaid, Miss Cindy Armstrong of Lakeland. Kenneth Strong of Winter Park will serve as his brother's best man, and ushers, Neil Powell of Winter Park and John Breger. Candle lighters are to be Charles Bamford and Dickie Townsend.

An outdoor reception is being planned on the campus of the Everglades Experiment Station immediately following the service.

### COLLEGE STUDENTS TO BE ENTERTAINED

A program for all college students is being planned and will be held at the First Baptist Church on Sunday evening at 7:30. After the program the young people will be entertained at the home of Rev. and Mrs. I. E. Enlow. This get-together is inter-denominational and all students are invited to attend.

### BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Pipes announce the birth of a son on Sunday, December 19th, at the St. Mary's Hospital in West Palm Beach. He has been named Larry Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin of Oklawaha announce the birth of a son, Troy Woodrow, on December 9th, at the local hospital.

A daughter was born to Chief Mechanics Mate and Mrs. E. D. Rogers on December 6th, at Key West where he is stationed.

Mrs. Cora Marlowe of South Bay has received word of the birth of a grandson on December 19th, born to Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Blanchard in Tampa. His name is Fredrich Sellers.



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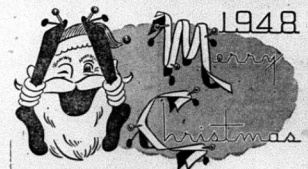
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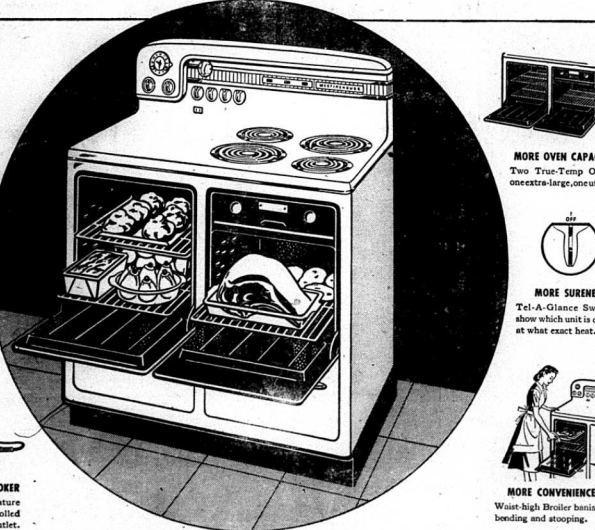
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Telephone information came to Mrs. D. C. DeHaven, on last Friday night, announcing that her 82 year old mother, Mrs. C. W. Ruble, long an invalid, had passed away. Mr. and Mrs. DeHaven left on Saturday to attend the funeral services which were held in that city on Tuesday.

**A TABLOID ACCOUNT**

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Recognized that it marked the birth of a King; and the traveler brought their rich gifts and laid them at the birth bed, and acknowledged the Child's Sovereignty, and led to proclaim the good news to the peoples of their lands.

The birth aftermath, informs us of how the Roman forces tried to locate the Christ Child to do him harm, but how Joseph and Mary, by divine guidance, made their successful escape into Egypt, where they lived until Jesus, for that was what the prophet and the Angels said he would be called, was eleven years old. Little is known of the Appointed One from the time of his return, beyond that he was a carpenter, until he took up his actual ministry when he was about 30 years of age, only to end three years later by crucifixion on Calvary Cross, at the behest of his enemies and the cowardice of Herod the Roman ruler.

The writings of Mark and John tell in beautiful stories the history of the Nativity at Bethlehem, and around that event, have been written thousands of prayers and hymns, many of them which are so willingly and heartily sung by millions at the Yule time period, throughout Christendom.

Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men", has for centuries been the Divine message to mankind, and in the present untroubled world, nothing is more desired and sought after than just Peace for all nations.

**CHRISTMAS CANTATA**

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A fire truck, which he had leased for the occasion, and some one had the audacity to call the bot belted old man "Dick", and strange as it may seem he was cracked back under that name. Now, who could it have been?

**DEATH AT HANDS**

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distraction, the general opinion was that the jury's findings was the only one that could have been rendered.

One piece of new evidence which was placed in the record by Miss Clause, was that she had heard Bacon say that there were two parties in North Carolina who owed him around \$25,000.

December 22, 1948

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Corn	9 13	45 82
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Mixed Veggies	13 21	5 34
Radishes	0 0	0 1
Romaine	0 0	0 1
Chicory	0 0	0 1
Total	74 359	100 673

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**COACH "RED" WOLF**

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Wolf in his address stated that boys and young men when they entered the field of athletics, were building themselves up as much as they did in the pursuit of the educational studies. That if one was of high rating in his classes, he also had the ability to make the same progress in athletic prowess. To be a member of any football squad, in any capacity, as a regular team player, a substitute player or even as a learner, was high tribute, which every player of any classification should fully appreciate.

He stated that football was a rugged game, and it took rugged players, who must submit to many knocks and bruises to get into physical condition, the sport, and how to properly play the game, with an aim that they become better or expert players. The fact that a player is on the first team, is because he has shown better ability than others for the positions which they fill, and not because they are there by favor or pull with the coaches.

Wolf gave a brief review of the "Gator" teams, and predicted that the State University was coming on fast, and would soon be able to cope with the teams from the best Southern

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**A HISTORY**

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to rather recent vogue under the name "Christmas tree," just as the fir is so designated in Northern latitudes. It is the Algonquian tree, called Kaive by the Hawaiians. It provides timber for piles, pods for fodder and flowers for honey. The first Hawaiian specimen was grown from seed sent out from the royal gardens in Paris, we are told.

In tropical countries Christmas trees are seldom cut down and carried in-doors. More often they are left growing and simply decorated with children's toys and glittering ornaments. There are many tales that miraculously blossom and sometimes bear fruit at Christmas time.

A story that may be of Celtic origin relates that a place near Glastonbury, Saint Joseph of Arimathea stuck his stick into the tree. It was a dry hawthorn staff, but it henceforth grew and constantly budded and bloomed on Christmas night.

According to a popular Louisiana legend, Christmas trees were first found in a forest by a poor stocking weaver who could not afford to buy presents for his family. The pine trees were illuminated by hundreds of lamps, and fruit and sweetmeats were hanging from them. A tiny dwarf told him to fill his bag with them. When he got home, the bag contained nothing but gold and silver. In similar legends a fairy gave cave instead of a forest, and charcoal or dung (afterwards changed to gold or silver) as presents.

One well-known tale describes Martin Luther as attempting to explain to his wife and children the beauty of the snow-covered forest under the glittering, star-spinkled sky. Suddenly

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denly he had an idea—he went to the garden, cut off a little fir-tree, dragged it into the nursery, put some candles on its branches and lighted them. This happened on Christmas Eve.

There is a still older German legend which makes Sir Winifred the originator of the idea. The saint, in the midst of a great crowd of converts, hewed down a giant oak which had been used in Druidic worship. When the big tree was half hewn, a great wind passed over the forest and gripped the tree, sending it crashing backward. Everything in its path was ruined except a slender fir tree which remained standing. The saint, pointing toward the sky. Because of the seeming miracle, Saint Winifred decreed that the fir be known as a special and holy tree—the tree of the Christ Child.

Another ancient folk tale describes a stormy Christmas Eve when a forester and his household fast the door and gathered around a cheerful fire. By and by a knocking was heard on the side. The father opened the threshold a little child—cold, hungry and exhausted. He was kindly treated, warmed and fed. In the morning the family heard the singing of a choir of angels. Looking at their little guest, they saw that He was none other than the Christ Child.

He broke off a branch from a fir tree and set it in the corner. "I have gladly received your gifts," He said, "and this is My Gift to you. Henceforth the tree shall always bear fruit at Christmas, and you shall always have abundance."

We remember, as we read the story, the One who said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these... ye have done it unto Me!" One of the best of the many stories told to account for the use of the Christmas tree is the legend of Saint Boniface.

We read that one wintry evening about a swelling hill, crowned with the great "Thunder Oak," sacred to the pagan god Thor, had gathered long ago a host of white-clad heathen warriors. Their women and children the faced a pagan altar.

In the light of a great fire the altar stood a heavy high priest, beside a kneeling child, who was doomed to die by the blow of a hammer—a live sacrifice to Thor, the Hammerer.

Just as the blow was falling, Saint Boniface appeared, turned the hammer aside, rescued the boy, and told the simple story of Jesus, who does not desire the sacrifice of human life, but who Himself paid the price for Man's redemption. Saint Boniface then felled the oak with mighty blows. Just behind the giant tree stood a young fir tree, pointing a straight green spire toward the stars.

"Here," said the apostle, "is the living tree, with no stain of blood upon it, that shall be the sign and symbol of your new worship. See how it points to the sky? Let us call it the tree of the Christ Child. Take it up and carry it to your chieftain's hall, for this is the birthnight of the Christ Child. You shall go no more into the shadows of the forest to keep your feasts with the secret rites of shame. Henceforth, you shall keep them at home, with rites of love."

The French have a legend which says that in the thirteenth century a gigantic tree was found. The branches of this huge tree were covered with candles—some standing erect and some upside down. On top there appeared a vision of a young child, with a halo around his head.

Religious leaders who were asked to explain this extraordinary sight declared that the tree represented all mankind, that the Child was the Savior, and that the candles symbolized good and bad human beings.

According to this aged myth, trees were used every Christmas morning thereafter to bring happiness and cheer to the homes of all the people.

As we thus review some of the many traditions and stories surrounding the Christmas tree and its beginnings and recall to mind the ancient folk lore concerning its origin, may we remember afresh the true significance of the season which it symbolizes.

May the glittering branches of the festive Yuletide tree bring to our hearts not merely transient joy, but a love and good will bestowed on all mankind by the coming of the Son of God to earth. May the echo of the angels, glorious "peace on earth" find a ready response in our thoughts. May the overflowing love of the Almighty Father's boundless generosity in giving His only Son find a parallel in our deeds. May we be in tune, this Christmas, to the Heavenly forces. And if we do this—if we live in His will and by His grace—God's true and lasting peace will triumph in the life of each of His earthly children—and come to reign over all the earth!

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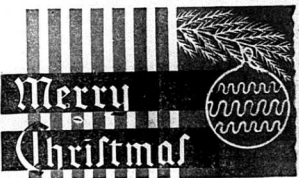


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voice to the many happy  
ones raised in the wish...  
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS!**

**The Kilgore Seed Co.**

Phone 106

Belle Glade, Fla.



May the true joys and  
blessings of that first  
Yuletide be yours today—  
Peace on Earth  
Good Will Toward Men!

**1948**

**Agricultural Insecticide Company**

481 S. E. Avenue B

Belle Glade, Fla.

**A JOLLY HOLIDAY**

**Jolly Old Saint Nicholas, Lean Your Ear This Way**

We don't recall the source, but we remember the words of the old song Mother used to sing to us... A warm little song that made us tingle with the first thrill of the Holiday Season.

Although we still engross our desires for remembrance, we know instinctively that greater joy comes to the giver...

So we are letting "Jolly Old Saint Nick" bring our greetings of good will and cheer for a Happy Holiday Season.

**ALFAR  
CREAMERY CO.**

Herbert Tillery — Glades Manager  
Phone 20 — Belle Glade, Fla.

**Sinclair-Kirchman Company**

Wholesalers of

**SINCLAIR PETROLEUM  
PRODUCTS**

DELIVERING IN THE

LAKE OKEECHOBEE

AREA

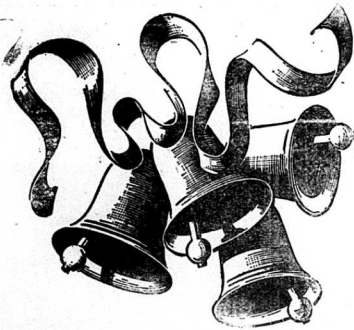
**A. E. KIRCHMAN, Mgr.**

Phone 124

Belle Glade Terminal

N. W. 9th St. & R. R. Rd.

Belle Glade, Florida



## Let The Bells Ring Out...

I heard the bells on Christmas Day  
Their old, familiar carols play,  
And wild and sweet  
The words repeat  
Of peace on earth, good will to men!  
—Longfellow.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL OF  
OUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS

**Everglades Federal Savings & Loan Association**

By Hugh J. Bratley, Sec.



**Broward Grain & Supply**



**1948 USA Gold-Dobrow Theatres**



**HAPPY DAYS**

The clean, white snow  
of the Holiday Season  
brings to mind happy  
days... it is our Holi-  
day wish that all of your  
days will be happy ones.

**I. W. West**  
Chosen, Fla.

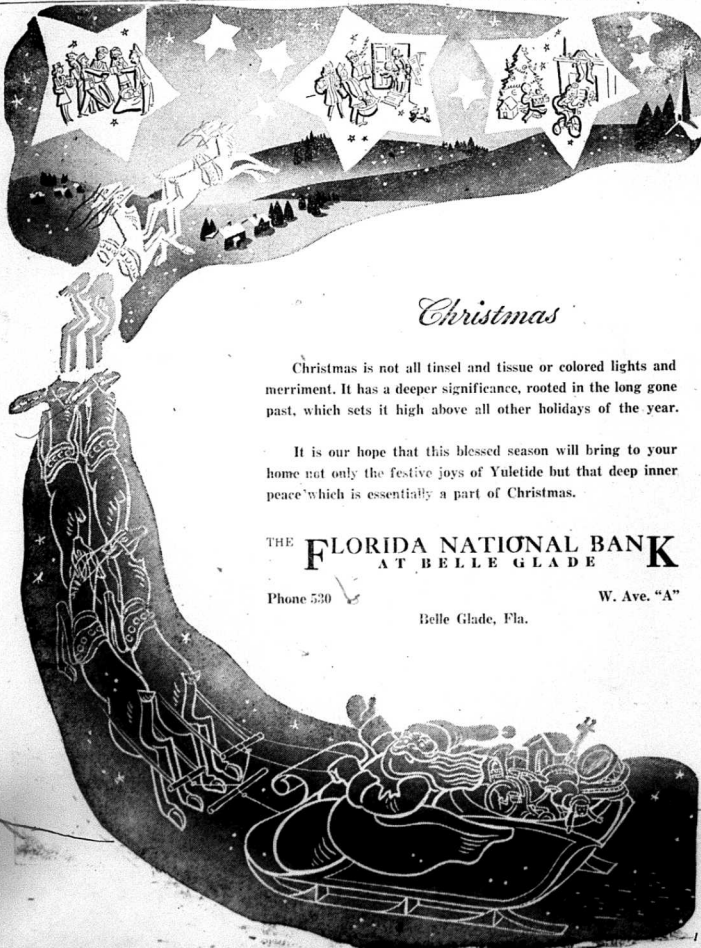


And  
lots of it, for  
friends, old  
and new.

**George Williams**

Ice Distributor

Belle Glade



## Christmas

Christmas is not all tinsel and tissue or colored lights and merriment. It has a deeper significance, rooted in the long gone past, which sets it high above all other holidays of the year.

It is our hope that this blessed season will bring to your home not only the festive joys of Yuletide but that deep inner peace which is essentially a part of Christmas.

**THE FLORIDA NATIONAL BANK**  
AT BELLE GLADE

Phone 530

Belle Glade, Fla.

W. Ave. "A"



Just an Old-Fashioned Merry Christmas... What memories that phrase stirs up...

From that first Christmas Day until the present, Christmas has been the happiest and the most blessed season of the year, because it is the season of kindness, generosity and fellowship.

In the age-old spirit of good will, we express our greetings, and wish you an old-time Merry Christmas.

**City Of Belle Glade**



## Merry Christmas



'Tis the Night Before Christmas and everyone is excited with anticipation of the happy day ahead . . . Visions of good things certainly dance in their heads . . . Merry greetings are tossed back and forth to the tune of happy laughter . . .

May we join in your Merry Greetings for a Merry Christmas and a . . .



And it is our great wish that the coming year will be the finest in your experience and will find you doing the things you want most.

**Lou Betzner**

"The Hardware Stores"

Ave A

Main St.

## GREETINGS of the SEASON



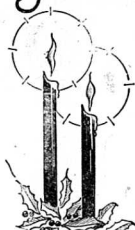
A CHEERY Merry Christmas to all as we gather around the festive tree which is a symbol of the bounty that we have enjoyed through the year.

THEN, as the bells welcome a New Year, let them bring our sincere good wishes for your continued good fortune.



**FEAR'S DEPT. STORE**  
AVE. A

## Seasons Greetings



AND LET  
THE JOYS OF  
THIS SEASON  
STAY WITH  
YOU  
ALL YEAR

**ROADMAN FURNITURE**  
South Bay, Fla.



MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL  
"RED" GURKIN



The story behind Christmas is one that has given the Yule holiday force and direction for over a thousand years. Hearts are made over on this day.

It gives us a great pleasure during this holy season to extend our best Christmas wishes to all our friends.

**BELLE GLADE MOTORS, Inc.**

CHARLES BOLTON

Ford Cars, Trucks, Tractors and Farm Machinery

## HAPPY YULE TIDE



This young man, burdened with all the trappings for a Merry Christmas, personifies our desire for all of our good friends and neighbors . . . The desire that all of your burdens will be happy ones and that they will rest lightly upon you through the years.

**Nocatee Manatee Crate Co.**

Inman Weeks

George Ramey

# Merry Christmas

CHRISTMAS IS HERE

It's in the music of the cherished carols hovering like a benediction over the bustling crowds.



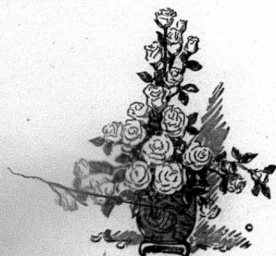
Time for us to send you our best wishes for the Happiest Christmas you have ever known.

New Year  
Greetings  
49

## Bank Of Pahokee

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

The Oldest Bank In Palm Beach County



## SHRUBS AND TREES ALL VARIETIES AT RETAIL

Authorized Sales and Service  
LAWN MOWERS

JACOBS POWER AND HAND

**Island Landscape Company**

Open Wednesday and  
Saturday Afternoon

1100 Southern  
West Palm Beach

### SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Milman Pillgreen of Washington, D. C., is spending the holidays with his sister and brother-in-law, Mrs. and Mrs. Arnold Hudson.

R. G. Fisher has received news of the birth of an son, Russell III, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell G. Fisher, Jr., at their home in Des Moines. Russell Jr., is attending college at Ames Iowa.

Mrs. Bill Morrison and son Larry of Winter Haven are house guests of her brother, R. C. White and family, planning to remain until after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Forguson and children are spending Christmas with his mother, Mrs. B. Forguson at Sanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gist of Orlando are arriving Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Templeton, over the Christmas holidays.

Norma Jean and Lemar Lovell are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Q. A. Keen, at Sarasota. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lovell will join them there for Christmas and bring the young people home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Willis, Barbara Jean and Johnny were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Crow at Miami Springs.

Layman Hardy, botanical student at the University of Florida, recently observed, while on a field trip to that region, several pair of Cape Sable Sea Side Sparrows which were thought to be extinct as none have been seen since the Labor Day Tidal Wave of 1935. These sparrows are indigenous to Cape Sable and do not appear elsewhere, so far as is known.

Mrs. R. S. Donaldson has returned home from an extended continental trip to Washington, D. C. Pennsylvania, Idaho, California and intermediate points.

Mrs. Mallie Fay Walker, Junior, Donna Fay and Roger, have gone to Panama City to attend the Golden Wedding of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Byrd on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hudson of Orlando will arrive Friday night to spend the Christmas week end with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts and family.

Jack Lee of Greenville, Ala., is visiting his uncles, C. M. A. L. and W. M. Lee and their families at Lake Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Hyde of St. Helen, Michigan arrived last week to spend the winter here.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hardy and daughter Joanne have gone to Chipley to visit her father, J. H. Squires. They will also visit his father Lewis Hardy and bride, a boyhood sweetheart, who he recently married at the age of 83, at their home in Panama City.

Turvey Powers is spending the two weeks holiday in Tampa with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Blanchard and new baby brother.

Mrs. Emma Best has come from Chicago to spend the winter with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Best.

M. and Mrs. Pete Challancin of New Jersey, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Clark and family of Tampa are spending the Christmas holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Challancin.

Miss Mary Long has returned to her home in Fort Myers after a three weeks visit with her cousins, Dorothy and Inez Register.

Mrs. W. E. Hudson of Fort Pierce is visiting her son Arnold Hudson and family for a fortnight.

Mrs. M. L. McLendon has returned to her home at Macon, Ga., after a three month visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Whitman, Sr.

J. D. Richards of Thomasville, Ga., visited his sister, Mrs. M. E. Cooper and family, recently.

Mrs. Mark Challancin, sons, Mickey and Jimmy, accompanied by Mrs. J. Fred Bridges and children of Fort Pierce will return home Wednesday after a weeks visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Thompson at Swainsboro, Ga.

#### School Closes With Christmas Party

The South Bay School Auditorium was the scene Wednesday night of the annual Christmas entertainment put on by Mrs. Editha Eckman, acting principal, and her corps of teachers. The room was packed with parents and friends of the children and all voted it was a very interesting and well presented program. The first number was a vocal trio by three of the older girls.

A Mother Goose Christmas Play followed. Jackie Mutchler effectively took the part of Mother Goose and Mickey Challancin was Santa Claus.

Nursery Rhyme characters were taken by children from the first grade. Children from the second and third grades were Santa Claus helpers.

The Nativity Scene was presented in pantomime and song with Jackie Mutchler as reader. Parts in the pantomime tableaux were taken by pupils of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades. The chorus was made up of seventh grade children in Christmas costumes.

The final number was a point-setta drill in costume presented by the Junior High Girls.

Santa Claus impersonated by Eddie Holt appeared at the close and interview by all the younger children in the audience.

A treat of candy, gum, nuts and fruit, donated by some 30 public spirited merchants and citizens, was prepared and distributed by members of the Parent Teacher Association, under the direction of Mrs. E. W. McLeod and her committee.

School was dismissed Friday with the closing event a Christmas

mas party and exchange of gifts in each home room under the direction of the teacher and room mother.

Mrs. Strickland's Mother Dies

Word has been received in South Bay of the death of Mrs. J. W. Garrett, mother of Mrs. J. W. Strickland. Mrs. Garrett died Sunday evening at her home in Brookville after an illness of only a few hours.

## Goforth's Garage

Specializing in All Type of Repairs on  
CARS, TRUCKS  
AND FARM MACHINERY  
Also Cleaning and Repairing Farm Units  
West Palm Beach Road Across from Wedgworth's



As the wonderful, star-crowned story of Christmas moves once more through our lives, there is no one of us who is not conscious of the inexpressible divinity of the season. It is a time to be generous, a time for deep happiness, a time for neighborliness and good will towards all.

## Bell's Restaurant & Cocktail Lounge, Inc.

Bennett W. Bell

William F. Crider

Belle Glade, Fla.



## There'll be a "Waiting Line" on Long Distance, too

We expect the biggest rush of Long Distance telephone calls we've ever had this Christmas. Even with every circuit and switchboard in service, there may be delays.

To avoid the rush, why not make your calls before Christmas Eve or after Christmas Day?

SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY  
Incorporated

**FAST RELIEF**  
SIMPLE HEADACHES  
MUSCULAR PAINS  
ALKA-SELTZER  
COLD DISCOMFORTS

Good for all the common ailments

Always keep a good supply of Alka-Seltzer on hand because you never know what time of day or night you may need the relief it gives. Alka-Seltzer is pleasant to take and never irritates the stomach. It's the only one you can take today.

Alka-Seltzer

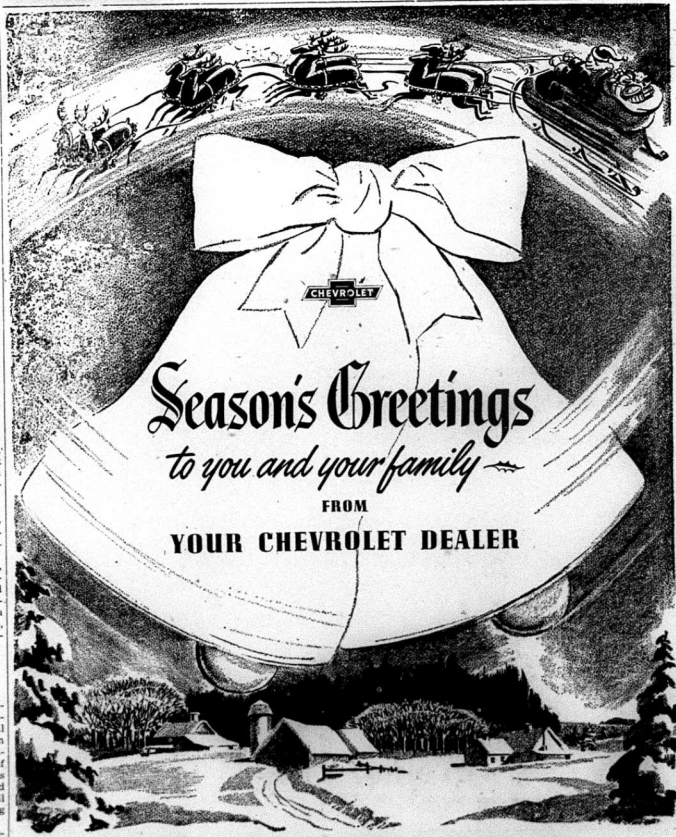


## Merry Christmas!

From Your "Sunshine Service" Neighbors and Friends

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|------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Inez Reeves      | Lou Mesmer       | D. H. Collier |
| Majella Harrison | L. M. Mullis     | L. H. Millon  |
| Lucille Arnold   | G. F. Peeler     | C. R. Pearce  |
| Martha Ratley    | Osburn Belyeu    | Gilbert Olson |
| Curtis Chase     | P. Paul deMoya   | Tommy Housch  |
| Lloyd Clanton    | E. M. Shultz     | Wm. M. Pope   |
| Paul Collier     | J. D. Watson     | Roy Stamps    |
| James Batchelor  | A. E. Funderburk | Nathan Faulk  |
| Wm. H. Acree     | C. M. Brown      | Clarence Boyd |

FLORIDA POWER & LIGHT COMPANY



## Glades Chevrolet Company

See Us In Our New Home ● Main Street & Avenue B ● Belle Glade, Florida





### BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

Booths for the sale of Christmas Seals, which finance the work of the Palm Beach County Tuberculosis and Health Association, will open in Belle Glade Saturday, December 11, for the convenience of those persons who did not receive Christmas Seals by mail and for those who may wish to buy more seals.

Young women of Belle Glade who have volunteered their services to the association during the campaign are in charge of

the booths. Their headresses and armbands, bearing the Double-Barred Cross, international emblem of the crusade against tuberculosis, were designed by Hattie Carnegie.

The booths will remain open until December 21. They are located at the Post Office and Murphy's Drug Store in Belle Glade as well as the Post Office in Chosen.

Other facts—27,000 letters containing Christmas Seals or Christmas Seal Bonds have been mailed by the Palm Beach County Tuberculosis and Health Association since November 22, the beginning of the drive.

The first thing to be done with funds derived from this year's Seal Sale is to pay the balance of \$5,000.00 for the \$10,000 X-ray machine purchased by the Association last year and presented to the County Health Department to make it possible for our people to obtain a free

chest x-ray any time during the year.

During the Mass Chest X-ray Survey recently completed in Palm Beach County, over 46,000 persons took advantage of the opportunity to get a free X-ray. Christmas Seal Funds helped to promote the survey. Although complete findings are not available, Dr. Burton F. Austin, Director of the Palm Beach County Health Department anticipates that 450 to 460 cases of Tuberculosis will have been found in the county. This case finding program is the first step in tuberculosis control, there are other phases which need attention, Christmas Seal Funds will be used to continue and make more effective Palm Beach County's aggressive war on TB.

The Girl Scouts both white and colored have helped prepare the supplies for the schools in the county. The Boy Scouts

have distributed posters. The firemen of West Palm Beach and Palm Beach spent many hours folding the Christmas Seals for mailing. Hundreds of volunteers throughout the county have helped to make this gigantic project possible. This is an example of the Democratic way of life—everybody contributing time and money

to fight a common enemy—tuberculosis. 82 per cent of all funds raised remain in this county. 13 per cent goes to the State Association, which provides supervision, education and general leadership. 5 per cent goes to the National Association for medical research, statistics, education publicity and supplies.

### READ WANT ADS



We echo the world-wide greeting to all of you, friends and neighbors.

1948

**Southern Distributing Company**

Harold Zumpf Prop.



Tradition meets the present in the holiday season and we're happy to add our greetings to the rest.

**Ashley's Garage**

Phone 126  
200 S. E. Ave. E



Greetings to all our friends this Christmas Season.



**Harry E. Roos**

General Contractor  
Phone 364  
Belle Glade, Florida

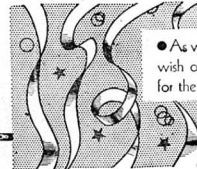
## Christmas Greetings

Mr. and Mrs. B. Pelka

### Merry Christmas



• Our New Year's wish is that the approaching twelvemonth will be a saga of contentment, joy, health and good fortune



• As we pause on the threshold of 1949, we wish once again to extend our appreciation for the many favors accorded us in the past.

1949

## Shirley Bros.

Claude and Lynn



Wishing you the merriest Christmas possible.

That means you, you...and you!

May your year be blessed by threes:

Happy Days! Fruitful Days!

Friendly Days!

**W S W N**

"The Little Station with the Long Reach"

Belle Glade, Florida

## Glades Appliance Corporation

Furniture Dept.

Main St.

Belle Glade, Fla.



It's an ideal time to wish for you all the good things in life.

We're delighted to extend this holiday greeting to all our friends.

**ROYAL'S, Inc.**

Belle Glade, Fla.

Ave. A and Fourth St.

Phone 99

# A MERRY CHRISTMAS



We sing out  
the gay  
greeting...  
**HAPPY  
HOLIDAY!**

**Mathis-Boe**

Frigidaire Dealers

Ave. A

Phone 181



May you enjoy a Yuletide crowded with happiness... a Christmas tree heavy with the gifts you've looked forward to.

**BEST WISHES TO YOU ALL**

**Geo. W. Scarborough Dept. Store**

Ave. A

Belle Glade, Fla.



**OUR GREETING IS AN OLD ONE**

But... Christmas is the time of year for old songs, old wishes, old friends... so again we say, Merry Christmas and Best Wishes For The New Year.

**Jack's Market**

Ave. A.



**HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS**

The multi-colored lights which adorn your Christmas tree will be reflected, we hope, in the radiance of your joy through all the years to follow. And may the happy surprises which await you mark the beginning of a future which will be filled with good health, good will, good luck and a pack of happiness to last a lifetime over. We thank you sincerely for your past patronage and look forward to serving you to your complete satisfaction in the New Year.

**SEASON'S GREETINGS TO YOU ONE AND ALL**

**Hendry's Super Market - Hotel Hendry - Hendry's Food Market**

Marvin Hendry, Jr.

Louise Hendry

"Bobby" Hendry



**TIDINGS  
OF GREAT JOY  
WE BRING**



We trust that every material thing you wish this Christmas to bring will be yours and that the blessings of Health, Happiness and Success be with you and in years to follow.

**Your Food Store**

Don & Grady



May the glow of the candles at Christmas time bring The Light of Hope, The Flame of Faith and the Warmth of Good Fellowship To All...

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

**Belle Glade**

**Hotel**

Main St.



**TO ALL OF  
YOU,  
A SEASON  
BRIMFUL  
WITH  
HOLIDAY  
JOY.**

**Pete Scuran**

Broker

Belle Glade, Fla.



**Rashley's**

253 So. Main St.



Bring out all the tinsel and tree trimmings! Sing out the gayest of carols! Have the jolly spirit of Christmas in your heart and share it with everyone you know. We extend to you and yours our sincere BEST WISHES of the season.

**Triangle  
Service  
Station**

Cone & Thompson  
City Service Gas & Oil

We send to you the joys and happiness of this Christmas season and hope they will linger in your heart through the years to come. Our thoughts are with you on this Christmas Day.

**National Outlet Store**

Sol Gordon, Prop.



**Yuletide  
Cheer**

May you enjoy an abundance of all good things during this holiday season and may the coming year be bright with continued prosperity and happiness. Best wishes from all of us for a Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year.

**Glades 5 10 & 25c Store**

Ave. A



**SEASON'S GREETINGS**

**Crew's  
Foodland  
Store**

West Ave. A



**MAY THERE BE  
HAPPINESS THROUGHOUT  
THE WORLD**

We look forward with delightful enthusiasm to the good cheer and fellowship that is an essential part of the Yuletide season. Our kindest regards to each of you on this Christmas Day.



**Glades Jewelers**

Ave. A.







*Merry Christmas 1948*

† † Christmas is an old-fashioned holiday, a time for reliving childhood days and for recalling old times, old friends.

May all the peace and tranquility of the season be yours in full measure.



### Cabin Dry Cleaners

Mr. & Mrs. Paul Davidson, Prop.  
West Ave. A Belle Glade, Florida



That's our greeting to you in this happy season.

### Richmond Plumbing Co.

324 S. E. First St.—Belle Glade, Fla.  
Phone 528

*Merry Christmas*  
FORTY-EIGHT

Once again, as the glow of the holiday season envelops the land, we extend our friendliest greetings and warmest wishes for a joyous Yuletide season.



### Dixiana Lunch

Corner of Main & Ave. E  
"The Best of Foods"



Symbolic of the spiritual values of Christmas is the church spire in the distance. Let's not forget this place of the Season.

### Bill Pierce Properties

Belle Glade, Florida

*Greet*

A Cheery Christmas Season To All...



### R. B. "Tilly" Walker

Representative  
New York Life Insurance Company  
Telephone 764 Hollywood, Fla.



MAY THIS CHRISTMAS SEASON BRING YOU MANY BLESSINGS AND MUCH JOY AND HAPPINESS.

### Fertilizer & Insecticide Sales Co.

Phone 7108 Pahokee, Fla.



A YEAR CHOCK FULL OF THE BEST OF EVERYTHING IS OUR NEW YEAR WISH FOR YOU.

### W. H. VANN, Inc.

Canal Point, Fla.

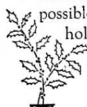
*Merry Christmas 1948*

A triple wish for all of you is ours:  
Good Cheer! Good Friends!  
Good Health!

### Hector Supply Co.



We Hope... that your home is blessed with all the contentment possible during this holiday season.



We're stopping by with a cheery greeting.

### Coastal Truck & Equipment Co.

East Palm Beach Road  
Phone 425  
West Palm Beach—Belle Glade, Fla.



It's a real pleasure to extend these greetings to you.  
**HAPPY HOLIDAYS!**

### Harris Insurance Agency

"Be Sure When You Insure"  
Phone 210 Herald Building



"OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS!"  
WE HOPE YOU HAVE ONE, AND THAT THE THOUGHT OF SUCH A DAY BRINGS YOU A FLOOD OF HAPPY MEMORIES.



### GLADES CLUB

Pahokee Road  
Where you get the best in good foods and the finest in mixed drinks, cocktails and wines.



Just for a minute, we relive all the joys and raptures of childhood as we behold the bright tinsel and the gay wrappings of the boxes stacked high under the Christmas tree.



May your gift be an assurance that all your most cherished dreams and hopes will be realized—that is our wish for you at this happy Yuletide season.

### Glades Drug Store

E. D. Humphries, Jr.—Co-Owners—W. A. Wooten, Jr.

# LET'S ALL JOIN AND *Make it an OLD FASHIONED Christmas*



Along with Christmas  
pine and holly... may  
health, wealth and  
happiness deck the  
halls of your home.

Jacob Graber & Sons



It's a very  
happy New Year  
we're wishing  
for you.  
Good Luck in '49!

Belle Glade Farmer's Co-Op.



HAVE A HAPPY HOLIDAY

With this, the greatest of Holidays, before  
us, we join the good wishes of the world to pro-  
mote the spirit of good fellowship and peace on  
earth.

**WEDGORTH'S**



★ The tree, emblazoned  
with bright lights and  
shiny tinsel, is the age-  
old symbol of the  
Yuletide season.

★ May your gift from the  
Yule tree be a year of true  
peace and happiness.

**Sinclair-Kirchman Co.**



## GREETINGS!

We cherish the thought of the  
fine associations that have been  
ours... and take this means of  
expressing our heartfelt appre-  
ciation for your friendship.

**SOUTH BAY GROVERS, Inc.**



★  
All the fragile beauty  
of a snowflake symbolizes  
this shimmering season  
of joy and happiness.  
May this Christmas be the  
most joyous of them all.  
★

**Pioneer Growers, Inc.**

ARTHUR WELLS  
J. H. CHAMBLEE

FRITZ STEIN  
B. LEE HAYMAN  
B. G. SMITH

ALBERT KRUSE  
FRANK KRUSE



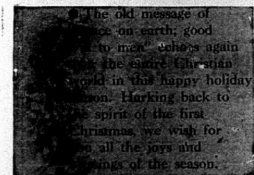
We add our voice to  
the chorus of Good  
Cheer that greets our  
community this  
Holiday Season...



**Glades Oil Co., Inc.**

Shell Product Distributors  
For The Everglades

Paul Beardson Paul Sasser Herman Sasser



**Wm. C. Young**  
Distributor  
PURE OIL PRODUCTS



## THE SEASON'S MERRIEST GREETINGS

We pause in our effort to render service to  
wish each and every one of our loyal friends the  
blessings of a glorious Christmas and the good for-  
tune of a Happy New Year.

**Nash Chemical Co.**